

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
 Barton A. SMITH et al.) Group Art Unit: 2677
 Serial No.: 09/845,552)
 Confirmation No.: 3403) Examiner: Kimnhung T. Nguyen
 Filed: April 30, 2001)
 For: *EDGE TOUCHPAD INPUT DEVICE*)
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
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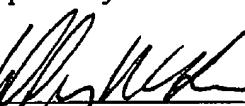
Sir:

In accordance with Rule 1.136, Applicants respectfully petition the Commissioner for an extension of time extending to November 1, 2005, the period for response to the Office Action dated August 24, 2005. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the \$120.00 extension fee to Deposit Account No. 50-1556.

If it should be determined that a longer extension is required to prevent this application from becoming abandoned, or for any other reason an insufficient or incorrect fee has been paid, please charge any insufficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1556.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: Nov 1, 2005

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